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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Roderic Dale *et al.* )  
Application No. 09/847,654 ) Group Art Unit: 1623  
Filed: May 3, 2001 ) Examiner: G. Krishnan  
For: Antimicrobial Compounds and Methods for )  
Their Use )

**RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the restriction requirement in the Office Action mailed December 6, 2002, Applicants respectfully elect, with traverse, to prosecute Group I, claims 1-15 and 30-36. This response is being filed with a petition for a 3-month extension of time and authorization to charge the required fee to deposit account No. 50-0310.

If there are any additional fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0310. If a fee is required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 not accounted for above, such an extension is requested and the fee should also be charged to our Deposit Account.

Dated: April 4, 2003  
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Respectfully submitted,  
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